

## House Resolution No.

**Whereas**, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives welcome with pleasure the opportunity to recognize an outstanding Missouri business that has played an integral role in the vibrant economy of its community; and

**Whereas**, Minor's Harley-Davidson/Suzuki Sales in Cape Girardeau, Missouri, has been chosen as a recipient of the 2004 Small Business of the Year Award, a most impressive accolade to be bestowed upon it by the Cape Girardeau Chamber of Commerce on February 28, 2005, at the Show Me Center; and

**Whereas**, Minor's Harley-Davidson/Suzuki Sales began in 1971 as a sole proprietorship in downtown Cape Girardeau with two employees carrying one product line; and

**Whereas**, Minor's Harley-Davidson/Suzuki Sales added a second product line in 1979 and as the company continued to grow, it constructed and moved to a new location; and

**Whereas**, today, Minor's Harley-Davidson/Suzuki Sales employs seventeen people with a complete service department, a showroom full of accessories, and an entire line of clothing, jewelry, and collectibles; and

**Whereas**, with annual sales at more than three hundred motorcycles, Minor's Harley-Davidson/Suzuki Sales embraces the philosophy that it is responsible for fulfilling the needs of its customers; and

**Whereas**, the owners and employees of Minor's Harley-Davidson/Suzuki Sales take pride in such civic and business leadership involvement as the Chamber of Commerce, the Kiwanis, the Optimist, the March of Dimes, Special Olympics, the Muscular Dystrophy Association, the American Cancer Society, Toys for Tots, Hogs for Dogs, Lutheran Family Services, and the Kenny Rogers Children Center, just to name a few; and

**Whereas**, Minor's Harley-Davidson/Suzuki Sales can take pride in holding a high regard for its reputation as a fair and respectable business that does not condone actions that would taint its image as professionals:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, join unanimously in extending our most hearty congratulations to Minor's Harley-Davidson/Suzuki Sales for its selection to receive the Small Business of the Year Award and in further wishing it continued success in all future endeavors; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Minor's Harley-Davidson/Suzuki Sales.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Nathan D. Cooper  
District No. 158

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,  
Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do  
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House  
Resolution No. \_\_\_\_, adopted \_\_\_\_, 2005.

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Rod Jetton, Speaker